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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff.

D. P. Miller, Democratic nominee for Sheriff of Beaver county, subject to the will of the voters at the November election: Your support solicited and will be appreciated.

D. P. MILLER.

Clear Lake.

Too dry to sow wheat.
All Indian corn in the shock, or else ready for the crib.

Late broomcorn is a goner—burnt up and dry.

One of the men with Mr. Bishop's seeder is in from New Mexico to get a grub stake, he says. No broomcorn west of Texas line.

T. L. Howe and son, J. B., are just in from Shattuck, and bring good and bad news. At Higgins broomcorn is selling at \$80 to \$75; at Shattuck, \$40 to \$65, and the banker is not making any new loans. The good news is that a St. Louis broomcorn company has employed the same buyer they had last year, and he will start from Garnett about the 27th of September. He is already instructed to offer \$100, and he expects before he starts to receive instructions to pay \$125. They are not in the combine with the Broomcorn Buyers and Manufacturers' Association.

Everybody who can, hold your brush for \$150. By authority of the Farmers' Union.

J. Crawford, of Marengo, has stored his wheat. Present prices do not suit him.

Ed Eckles was practicing as a photo artist. His camera was turned on our rural route driver, Ben Morris. He was bareheaded, and so was the donk.

No meeting at the Caleyville school house on account of the protracted meeting at Blue Ribbon. Good crowds are out—so reported.

Art Stenton met with a small loss. He and Jess Gofford and son were moving a pump from one well to another; while drawing it, it fell and broke in three pieces.

Most all melon vines are dying for want of water. Wanted—a recipe for rain making.

Mr. Dodson is in the Marengo vicinity threshing wheat. The average per acre is about 15 bushels.

From the 1st to the 12th of July a large acreage of broomcorn was planted in this neighborhood. The drought has prevented most of it from making brush. A few got some brush; some was cut for roughness, and if it does not rain soon a large per cent of that which is not yet badly hurt, will soon be burnt.

I find that there is a very poor crop of broomcorn in townships 1, 2, and 3 range 26. On the main wagon road from Higgins, Texas, to Shattuck, Oklahoma, there are only two crops in sight to amount to anything. Good brush is a scarce article and will, before long, command a good price.

Header men are rigging up to head kafir and broomcorn.

Kafir corn is ripening very slowly. No one yet can account for it.

All early milo maize has fully matured, and is a fine crop.

I have raised broomcorn here for 5 years. Twenty acres is a good crop for one man to raise, and after taking out the cost of raising, pulling, seeding and baling, you have just about \$283 left for your year's work.

Better quit raising broomcorn and go to buying. One buyer last season cleaned up \$700, without a risk.

The farmers met at Clear Lake school house to try to devise some plan by which to help each other hold our brush. Mr. Mock, Mr. Truby's buyer, is out, and some say he offered \$40. His commission, so he says, is \$5 per ton. Not one farmer in 50 can realize \$5 per ton profit at \$45 a ton, and we do all the work. It looks to us farmers as though the factory men are saying, "We will return you your expenses and we will take the profit."

Chas. and Jeff Thompson returned Thursday from Englewood. They brought in some very fine eating apples. Quite a luxury. They were passed around to all.

Curtman Mercantile Co. is sending its wheat to market.

Four loads of wheat dined at E. M. Herring's Friday, en route to Englewood.

Busch Chapel.

Having cool and cloudy weather at present.

Several from these parts took broomcorn to Liberal, Kansas, last week and took in the big show.

Some are still pulling broomcorn, but the main rush is over.

Oscar Fain left for Fargo, Oklahoma, Tuesday.

Will Price's team ran away Saturday night as he was coming home from Beaver, scattering his groceries, but no serious damage was done.

Miss Alta Carter took dinner with Lucy Wilson Sunday.

Mr. Boston visited R. C. Fain last Sunday.

Fay Redman, who has been in these parts for some time, took the train Friday for his home in Arkansas.

One of Wiley Zinn's brothers, from Texas, is visiting Wiley. He is a minister, and will have some meetings in this neighborhood.

Mr. Sprague seeded broomcorn for Charley Ward Monday.

Fred Wilson and Will Price started to Liberal with broomcorn, Monday.

Mr. Ward lost a calf recently. He thought in had the blackleg.

Mrs. Brazil has been quite sick, but we are glad to report that she is better at present.

Miss Vera Fry and Miss Sarah Bolds attended Sunday School at the Busch Chapel Sunday.

Twin Mounds.

A cool wave with northerly winds is a welcome change after the very sultry weather.

Harry Jones and O. C. Klepper started to Englewood to-day (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson were dinner guests at the hospitable Hopper home, to

meet Mr. Hopper, Sr., and his daughter, Miss Hazel Hopper, of Maryville, Mo. Mr. Hopper notes a few changes in this locality since his last visit here, five years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoffman drove over to Ivanhoe, Thursday.

J. B. Howe expects wheat threshers at his place to-morrow.

Mrs. Thompson and Smith were shopping at Sunset, Monday.

Through the generosity of Mrs. Sarah Thompson, with her berries, the Johnsons were able to feast on wonder berry pie, recently.

Mrs. Thompson's roses are almost as great a "wonder" as the berries.

Encouraging reports come from Rev. Coppedge's meeting at Harmony.

Mr. T. Smith and family are expected home to-morrow from their visit to Hutchinson, Kansas.

Alonzo McClurg attended church at Harmony Sunday night.

Walter Smith, J. S. Johnson and Alonzo McClurg are helping H. H. Martin pull broomcorn this week.

E. A. Macy is binding feed for Harford & Son.

Mrs. Yeomans and daughter, Mrs. Harry Jones, were calling on friends Monday afternoon.

Henry Martin seems to have water-melons this year for the whole neighborhood.

We took our share of the gentle hint of the editor in last week's Herald in regard to writing plainly. Took it with a good grace, too. We confess our weakness along that line.

ONCE A WEEK.

Farm Loans at right terms and reasonable rates. See John W. Savage.

The Gratitude of Elderly People

Goes out to whatever helps give them ease, comfort and strength. Foley's Kidney Pills cure kidney and bladder diseases promptly, and give comfort and relief to elderly people. For sale at F. C. Tracy's.

Pay Up! Please.

All parties owing us must come in and settle, as we must have money to meet our obligations. Unless these accounts are settled before October 1st, 1910, they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. We don't want to crowd anybody, but our fire losses makes it absolutely necessary for us to collect.

O. D. SMITH & SON.

Sweeping Sale

SEPTEMBER 1st to 30th

We have decided to close out our entire stock of

Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats and Shoes

at a great discount. Those wishing to lay n'a supply for winter should not fail to take advantage of this Golden Opportunity. Following are a few of the many BARGAINS:

Men's Corduroy Pants \$1.00 and up
Shoes \$3.50 Seller - \$3.00
Shoes \$2.50 Seller - 2.00
Shoes \$1.75 Seller - 1.35

Like Discount on all Shoes

A good line of Overalls and Jumpers

Men's 15c half hose - 10c
Men's 10c half hose - 5c
Ladies' 2 for 25c Hose, to sell 3 pairs for 25c
Ladies' 15c Hose - 10c
Children's School Hose - 5c
Ladies' All Linen Handkerchiefs - 5c
Children's School Handk'fs - 2c
Turkish Towels 20x40 per pair - 25c
Men's Garters - 10c

68x72 White Quilts - 85c
Hair Pins per pkge - 1c
Pins per pkge - 1c
Men's Balbrigan Shirts - 15c
Men's Work Shirts - 40c
Boy's Knee Pants - 25c
Suspenders, Good - 20c
Calico - 5 1-2c
Check Gingham - 6c
Outings 5c up

Other things too numerous to mention

Will also endeavor to have a complete stock of Groceries. Remember the location.

WHITE HOUSE HOTEL

Be sure and bring your Pocketbook

O. D. SMITH & SON, Beaver, Okla

FARMERS' INSTITUTE FAIR

Beaver, Oklahoma

October 6th, 7th and 8, 1910

3==BIG DAYS==3

Arrangements are being made to make this one of the BIGGEST LITTLE FAIRS ever held and everybody should lay aside everything else for these three days and come to Beaver and have a good time.

FARM PRODUCTS, STOCK, POULTRY, NEEDLEWORK, ETC.

A large collection of all articles usually found at Fairs will be on exhibit and liberal prizes will be awarded. All are requested to bring in their best products for exhibit. Get your HORSES, COLTS, COWS, MULES, CHICKENS, PIGS, GEESE, DUCKS, CALVES, and all other LIVE STOCK in shape to make a good showing. Ladies don't forget the BREAD, CAKE, PIES, PICKLES, PRESERVES, BUTTER, JELLY and NEEDLEWORK. Good prizes will be offered you as well as the men.

BALL GAMES, HORSE RACES, FOOT RACES, COMIC RACES, CONTESTS, SPEAKING, DANCING SHOWS, BIG CARNIVAL COMPANY

Plenty of fun for young and old and something doing all the time. If you don't want to have a good time don't come

STAND RIGHTS, CONCESSIONS

Write W. T. Quinn, Chairman, for Stand right and Concession Privileges. Remember, "The Early Bird Catches the Worm."
BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE

C. C. DeGRAW. President